

Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application

English Language Declaration

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

ELECTRODE STRUCTURE,

the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:



was filed on June 8, 2001 as

United States Application Number or PCT International Application Number 09/857,759

and was amended on June 8, 2001 (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or § 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or § 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Not Claimed

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of any United States application(s), or 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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Inventor's signature

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2) Gregor Hoogers

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Execution Date: 1) August 16, 2001; 2) August 8, 2001

2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

Name: Johnson Matthey Public Limited Company
 Internal Address: _____
 Street Address: 2-4 Cockspur Street, Trafalgar Square
 City: London State: United Kingdom ZIP: SW1Y 5BQ

Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ YES ☒ NO

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

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A. Patent Application Number(s) 09/857,759

B. Patent Number(s) _____

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: 17. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41): \$ 40.00

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

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 Name of Person Signing
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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, **Susan Joy Cooper** of 54 Donnington Gardens, Reading RG1 5LZ, United Kingdom; and **Gregor Hoogers** of Fachhochschule Trier, Umwelt-Campus Birkenfeld, P.O. Box 1380, D-55761 Birkenfeld, Germany (hereinafter referred to as "**ASSIGNOR**"), have made an invention entitled **ELECTRODE STRUCTURE**, for which an application for United States Letters Patent was filed on June 8, 2001, under Application No. 09/857,759;

WHEREAS, the **ASSIGNEE, Johnson Matthey Public Limited Company**, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of Great Britain, and having a place of business at 2-4 Cockspur Street, Trafalgar Square, London SW1Y 5BQ, United Kingdom, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in and to said invention and the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and of other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned, intending to be legally bound, does hereby sell, assign and transfer to the **ASSIGNEE** the **ASSIGNOR'S** entire right, title and interest, for the United States of America, its territories and possessions, and for all foreign countries, in said invention, including said patent application, all divisions and continuations thereof, all rights to claim priority based thereon, all rights to file foreign applications on said invention, and all letters patent and reissues thereof, issuing for said invention in the United States of America and in any and all foreign countries.

It is agreed that **ASSIGNOR** shall be legally bound, upon request and at the expense of the **ASSIGNEE** or its successors or assigns or a legal representative thereof, to supply all information and evidence of which the undersigned has knowledge or possession, relating to the making and practice of said invention, to testify in any legal proceeding relating thereto, to execute all instruments and do such other acts as may be necessary and proper to patent the invention in the United States of America and foreign countries in the name of the **ASSIGNEE** and to execute all instruments proper to carry out the intent of this instrument.

Because **ASSIGNOR** includes more than one person, these obligations shall apply to those persons both individually and collectively.

ASSIGNOR hereby warrants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this Assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Assignment is executed on the day indicated below.

ASSIGNOR #1:

Susan Joy Cooper

Susan Joy Cooper

Signature

Date: 16th August, 2001

Witness as to ASSIGNOR #1: (Optional) _____

ASSIGNOR #2:

Gregor Hoogers

Gregor Hoogers

Signature

Date: 8th August 2001

Witness as to ASSIGNOR #2: (Optional) _____